Executive Proclamation
State of South Dakota
Office of the Governor

Whereas, The year 2010 is the 55th anniversary celebration of the Pierre High School graduating Class of 1955; and,

Whereas, Thirty-five of the 76 members of the class will be in Pierre, South Dakota, on September 18, 2010, to celebrate this special 55th "Golden Reunion"; and,

Whereas, Class members live in 20 states across the country, and have proclaimed throughout the nation the excellence of their Pierre public school education and caring teachers; and,

Whereas, Members of the Class of 1955 take great joy in remembering the 1940s and 1950s as gentle times to come of age, knowing their parents had survived the horrors of World War II with determination to create good, solid families in the beauty, safety, and happiness of their hometown on the beautiful Missouri River; and,

Whereas, The members of the class will acknowledge those who cannot attend, and remember those who have passed away, and, after 55 years of being apart, reconvene to celebrate that special period in their lives:

Now, Therefore, I, M. Michael Rounds, Governor of the state of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim September 18, 2010, as

PIERRE HIGH SCHOOL CLASS OF 1955 DAY

in South Dakota.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the state of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Tenth day of September in the Year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Ten.

M. Michael Rounds, Governor

Attest:

Chris Nelson, Secretary of State